Public Notice – Environmental Project

PURPOSE OF NOTICE:

The Department of Environmental Quality seeks public comment on the state's response to the environmental aspects of a proposed project in Caroline County, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:

December 19, 2008 to January 18, 2009

TYPE OF RESPONSE:

Federal Consistency Determination

DEQ is reviewing a federal action to determine if it is consistent with the U.S. Coastal Zone Management Act. The act seeks to protect the quality of air, water or other natural resources in Virginia's coastal area.

NAME OF AGENCY PROPOSING THE PROJECT:

Department of Defense/Department of the Army

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The U.S. Army Garrison, Fort A. P. Hill proposes to implement an Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan (ICRMP). The purpose of the plan is to provide a proactive natural resources management plan that guides staff at Fort A.P. Hill in achieving natural resource management goals, mission requirements and compliance with environmental regulations and policies. An INRMP is required for each military installation where significant natural resources occur. Implementation of the proposed action would have no significant impact on the majority of the resources evaluated, including water, biological and air resources.

A federal consistency determination has been submitted for this proposal which finds it consistent to the maximum extent practicable with the enforceable policies of the Virginia Coastal Resources Management Program (VCP).

HOW TO COMMENT:

DEQ accepts comments from the public by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. The public may review the project documents at DEQ's Central Office in Richmond.

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